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BETWEEN DIFFERENT
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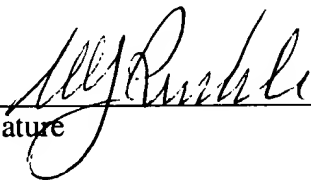
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The Assignment document evidencing present ownership of the subject application was:

- ☒ Copy of Assignment submitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on November 09, 2001 for recordal, is attached hereto.
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, JOHN L. CREIGH, residing at 19 Obispo, Rancho Santa Margarita, California 92688, have invented certain new and useful improvements disclosed in an application for United States Letters Patent entitled **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING COMPATIBILITY BETWEEN DIFFERENT TRANSCEIVERS IN A MULTI-PAIR COMMUNICATION SYSTEM**, filed on December 21, 2000, as U.S. Application No. 09/747,327 ;

AND WHEREAS BROADCOM CORPORATION, a California corporation, having a place of business at 16215 Alton Parkway, Irvine, California 92618 (hereafter, together with any successors, legal representatives or assigns thereof, called "ASSIGNEE") wants to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements and application.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements, and said application and all divisions and continuations thereof, and all United States Letters Patents which may be granted thereon and all reissues, reexaminations and extensions thereof, and all priority rights under all available International Agreements, Treaties and Conventions for the protection of intellectual property in its various forms in every participating country, and all applications for patents (including related rights such as utility-model registrations, inventor's certificates, and the like) heretofore or hereafter filed for said improvements in any foreign countries, and all patents (including all continuations, divisions, extensions, renewals, substitutes, and reissues thereof) granted for said improvements in any foreign countries; and I hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and any officials of foreign countries whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all patents for said improvements to ASSIGNEE in accordance with the terms of this Assignment;

AND I HEREBY covenant that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

AND I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to ASSIGNEE any facts known to me respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, substitute and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid ASSIGNEE to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand this 6 day of February, 2001.

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